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LEBANON DRUG DEALER PLEADS GUILTY TO DRUG TRAFFICKING CHARGES

David L. Huber, United States Attorney for the Western District of Kentucky, announced today that **WILLIAM T. MOORE**, age 36, of 730 Jessetown Road, Lebanon, Kentucky **pled guilty** to drug trafficking.

The maximum potential penalties, are 40 years' imprisonment, a \$2,000,000 fine, and a minimum of 4 years supervised release.

Moore admitted that on or about April 28, 2005, he grew 131 marijuana plants. Fully mature, the plants would produce marijuana having a street value of \$69,000.

The case was prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney John E. Kuhn, Jr. and was investigated by the Drug Enforcement Agency, Kentucky State Police, Lebanon Police Department, Marion County Sheriff's Office, and the Springfield Police Department..

The plea was entered before Charles R. Simpson, Judge, United States District Court, Louisville, Kentucky.

Moore is scheduled to be sentenced before Judge Simpson on April 2, 1007, at 2:30 p.m., in Louisville, Kentucky.

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